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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 12, 2001, Applicants enclose substitute drawings for Figs. 1 to 9. A check for the two month extension of time fee of \$390.00 is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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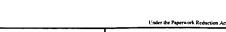
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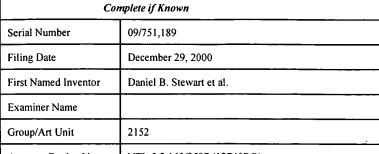


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104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid			581	40	581	40	Patent Assignment per property	
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